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Exhibit A is attached following the Replacement Sheet.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), a three-month extension of the term for reply, *i.e.*, to up to and including February 2, 2011, is requested. An electronic payment of \$1,110.00 accompanies this paper to address the fee required under § 1.17(a). The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additionally required fee for the extension, or any other fee occasioned by this paper, or to credit any overpayment in such fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.